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FOR MODULATING EXPRESSION
WITHIN SMOOTH MUSCLE CELLS

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Communication mailed July 1, 2002, and in order to comply with Requirements For Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures, 37 C.F.R. § 1.821-1.825, Applicants now submit a second Substitute Sequence Listing to replace the Substitute Sequence Listing filed June 22, 2001, which contained improper presentation of some sequences.

Please find enclosed a second Substitute Sequence Listing in the paper and computer readable format to replace the Substitute Sequence Listing and disk mailed on June 22, 2001.

Prior to examination of the above-referenced application, please enter the following amendments and remarks.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 11, line 27, with the following amended paragraph: